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3. At least the phrase "each blade of the lower pair...of the lower pair of blades" would require further consideration and or search.

11. It does not appear that applicant has claimed loosening only one blade of the pair. Furthermore, exposing a surface of the lower blades appears to be an obvious design choice as applicant has provided no criticality to this design. Examiner has already stated in the remarks that the blade connection means is an obvious design choice, applicant has not argued this point, and therefore it does not appear that further defining the blade connections would aid in defining the claim 1 over the previous rejection.